

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

**In re application of:** Lightner et al.  
**Application No.** 10/539,214  
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**For:** GENERATION OF PLANTS WITH  
ALTERED OIL CONTENT  
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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

This is submitted in response to the Office action (Restriction Requirement) dated January 3, 2008, for which a one-month or thirty day period for reply was sent, making a response due on or before February 3, 2008. As February 3, 2008 falls on a Sunday, this response is timely filed on Monday, **February 4, 2008**. It is believed that no fee is necessary. However, the Director is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees that may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4550.

**Remarks** and a brief **Conclusion** are on page 2.